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a graphical user interface module having means for displaying the document and means for controlling the display of the document; and

an edit control module having means for controlling said text processing module, means for controlling said mark control module, and means for controlling said graphical user interface module.

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- 6. (Amended) The processing system as claimed in claim 1, wherein said linking means of said mark control module includes means, responsive to inputs entered by a user through said graphical user interface, for activating a command linked with said selected information.
- 7. (Amended) The processing system according to claim 6, wherein said linking means selectively links any piece of text in the document with any of an editor command and macro, wherein such linking is unspecified in the document loaded in the parsing editor, and wherein said mark is set to a piece of text by at least one of said parsing editor and an external command running in the edit system.
- 8. (Amended) In a document processing system having means for loading and storing a document, a parsing editor for initially parsing the document and thereafter incrementally parsing information entered in the document, and a graphical user interface for displaying the document, a mechanism for creating an activemark comprising:

means for identifying selected information in the document; and means for binding a command to said selected information, said means for binding and said means for identifying being responsive to the operation of said parsing editor without user intervention, and the activemark being created as said parsing editor parses the

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13. (Amended) In a document processing system having means for loading and storing a document, a parsing editor for initially parsing the document and thereafter incrementally parsing information entered in the document, and a graphical user interface for displaying the document, a method for generating marks in the document, said method comprising:

5 selecting information for a mark in the document;

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linking said selected information to a command, said selecting information and said 6 linking operation being responsive to the parsing by the parsing editor without user intervention; and

activating said mark in response to an activation input.

16. (Amended) The method as daimed in claim 13, further including altering the appearance of said mark in the document in response to activation of said mark.

## Please add the following new claims.

- 1412 -21. A data storage medium recorded with a computer program which, in combination with a general purpose computer loaded with an operating system and a parsing editor, equipped to read into memory and execute program data from the data storage medium to perform the method for generating marks in a document according to claim 13.
- A data storage medium recorded with a computer program which, in combination with a 22. general purpose computer loaded with an operating system and a parsing editor, equipped to read 2 into memory and execute program data from the data storage medium to perform the method for 3 generating marks in a document according to claim 14. 4
- A data storage medium recorded with a computer program which, in combination with a 23. general purpose computer loaded with an operating system and a parsing editor, equipped to read 2 into memory and execute program data from the data storage medium to perform the method for 3 generating marks in a document according to claim 15. 4
  - A data storage medium recorded with a computer program which, in combination with a 24. general purpose computer loaded with an operating system and a parsing editor, equipped to read into memory and execute program data from the data storage medium to perform the method for generating marks in a document according to claim 16.